

## **NOTICE OF INTENT**

**Wednesday  
April 29, 2015**

**SJR 20 (CS)**

**Watson**

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the governing body of a political subdivision other than a school district to adopt an exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion, expressed as a dollar amount, of the market value of an individual's residence homestead.

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**SJR 30**

**Taylor, Larry**

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation real property leased to certain schools organized and operated primarily for the purpose of engaging in educational functions.

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**SJR 60**

**Campbell**

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the governing body of a political subdivision to adopt a local option exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion, expressed as a dollar amount, of the market value of real property of a business that employs honorably discharged veterans.

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**SCR 32 (LC)**

**Bettencourt**

Urging Congress to expedite natural gas exports.

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**SB 19 (CS)**

**Taylor, Van/ et al.**

Relating to the ethics of public officers and related requirements; creating criminal offenses.

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**SB 142 (CS) (LC)**

**Garcia**

Relating to the appointment and training of volunteer deputy registrars.

*Committee report printed and distributed 11:15 AM, 04/28/15*

**SB 164**

**Lucio**

Relating to a notification requirement if a school counselor is not assigned to a public school campus.

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**SB 183 (CS) (LC)**

**Huffman**

Relating to the offenses of the violation of civil rights of and improper sexual activity with individuals in custody; imposing a criminal penalty.

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**SB 185 (CS)**

**Perry/ et al.**

Relating to the enforcement of state and federal laws governing immigration by certain governmental entities.

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**SB 228 (CS)**

**Creighton/ et al.**

Relating to an exemption from the sales tax for firearms and hunting supplies for a limited period.

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**SB 279 (CS)**

**Watson**

Relating to the authority of the governing body of a taxing unit other than a school district to adopt an exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion, expressed as a dollar amount, of the appraised value of an individual's residence homestead.

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**SB 309 (LC)**

**Campbell**

Relating to public access to boundary, financial, and tax rate information of certain political subdivisions.

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**SB 326 (CS) Estes/ et al.**

Relating to the amount of wine certain wineries may sell directly to consumers.

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**SB 380 (CS) Rodríguez/ Burton/ Hinojosa/ Perry**

Relating to procedures for certain persons charged with a violation of a condition of release from the Texas Department of Criminal Justice on parole or to mandatory supervision.

*Committee report printed and distributed 11:26 AM, 04/07/15*

**SB 455 (CS) (LC) Creighton**

Relating to special three-judge district courts convened to hear certain cases.

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**SB 545 Taylor, Larry**

Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real property leased to and used by certain schools.

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**SB 589 Rodríguez/ Hinojosa**

Relating to the award of diligent participation credit to defendants confined in a state jail felony facility.

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**SB 593 (CS) Watson**

Relating to pretrial settlement discussions during a judicial appeal of certain ad valorem tax determinations and the effect of certain pretrial settlement offers on the calculation of an award of attorney's fees in such an appeal.

*Committee report printed and distributed 02:12 PM, 04/27/15*

**SB 632 (CS) (LC) Fraser/ et al.**

Relating to the creation of the governor's university research initiative and to the abolishment of the Texas emerging technology fund.

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**SB 638 (CS) (LC) Nichols**

Relating to the transfer of certain state property from the Texas Department of Transportation to the Shepherd Independent School District; requiring the payment of certain transaction fees.

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**SB 668 (LC) Schwertner/ et al.**

Relating to the adoption of a training manual for certain state officers.

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**SB 681 (CS) (LC) Zaffirini**

Relating to a bailiff administering the selection of names of persons for jury service in certain counties.

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**SB 715 (LC) Hall**

Relating to sworn statements and other documentation provided to support the issuance of a search warrant.

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**SB 716 (LC) Hall**

Relating to the methods of delivery for required financial statement forms sent to certain municipal officeholders and candidates for municipal office.

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**SB 723 (CS) Perry/ et al.**

Relating to mandatory participation in certain TANF employment and other programs by certain persons.

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**SB 724 (CS) (LC) Perry**  
 Relating to the motor vehicle sales tax applicable to motor vehicles used by transportation companies for certain purposes.  
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**SB 740 (LC) West**  
 Relating to the assessment of court costs and fees on conviction of multiple offenses or on conviction of multiple counts of the same offense.  
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**SB 750 (CS) (LC) Taylor, Larry**  
 Relating to a report made by the Texas Education Agency regarding the property and casualty insurance costs of school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.  
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**SB 777 (CS) (LC) Fraser**  
 Relating to the authority of the Public Utility Commission of Texas to restrict participation in the retail electric market for significant violations.  
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**SB 778 (CS) Seliger**  
 Relating to performance-based tuition limitations for certain public institutions of higher education.  
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**SB 837 Watson**  
 Relating to a common characteristic or use project in a public improvement district in certain municipalities.  
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**(On Third Reading)**

**SB 894 (CS) Taylor, Larry**  
 Relating to the state virtual school network.  
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**SB 955 (CS) (LC) Schwertner**  
 Relating to permissible locations of open-enrollment charter schools created by certain institutions of higher education.  
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**SB 995 (CS) (LC) Rodríguez**  
 Relating to decedents' estates.  
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**SB 1049 (LC) Campbell**  
 Relating to an exemption from the franchise tax and certain filing fees for certain businesses owned by veterans during an initial period of operation in the state.  
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**SB 1057 (CS) (LC) Hinojosa**  
 Relating to the provision of funding for indigent defense services.  
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**SB 1059 (CS) (LC) Hinojosa**  
 Relating to the issuance of certain permits for the movement of oversize or overweight vehicles.  
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**SB 1072 (LC) Zaffirini**  
 Relating to the removal of a precinct or county chair for abandonment of office.  
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**SB 1108 (CS) Lucio**  
 Relating to the creation of regional emergency communication districts; authorizing a fee.  
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**SB 1116 (CS) (LC) West**

Relating to a notice or document sent by mail or electronic mail by a court, justice, judge, magistrate, or clerk of a judicial court.

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**SB 1148 (LC)                      Watson/ et al.**

Relating to the functions of the Public Utility Commission of Texas in relation to the economic regulation of water and sewer service.

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**SB 1161 (CS) (LC)              Zaffirini**

Relating to certain purchasing methods by state agencies and local governments.

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**SB 1170 (CS) (LC)              Garcia/ et al.**

Relating to excluding certain students from the computation of dropout and completion rates for purposes of public school accountability.

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**SB 1171 (CS) (LC)              Nichols**

Relating to the operation of certain oversize or overweight vehicles transporting timber, timber products, or forestry equipment on certain public roadways.

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**SB 1181 (CS) (LC)              Huffines**

Relating to an interim study concerning this state's noncommercial hunting and fishing license systems.

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**SB 1184 (CS)                      Huffines**

Relating to subjecting regional mobility authorities to audit by the state auditor.

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**SB 1193 (LC)                      West/ Eltife/ et al.**

Relating to the deregulation of hair braiding.

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**SB 1205 (CS)                      Rodríguez**

Relating to an environmental service fee charged by an institution of higher education.

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**SB 1215 (CS) (LC)              Bettencourt**

Relating to a study of the feasibility and benefits to this state of abolishing the property tax assistance division of the office of the comptroller of public accounts and transferring its powers and duties to an independent agency.

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**SB 1222 (CS) (LC)              Bettencourt**

Relating to the authority of the commissioner of education to issue subpoenas during an investigation of educator misconduct.

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**SB 1243 (CS)                      Burton**

Relating to donation of unused prescription drugs.

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**SB 1252 (CS)                      Hall/ et al.**

Relating to an interstate compact on border security and immigration enforcement.

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**SB 1280 (CS) (LC)              Huffman**

Relating to directing payment, after approval, of certain miscellaneous claims and judgments against the state out of funds designated by this Act; making appropriations.

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**SB 1294 (CS)                      Nichols**

Relating to certain limitations on design-build contracts for transportation infrastructure projects.  
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**SB 1304 (LC)** **Menéndez**  
Relating to the creation of a women veterans mental health initiative within the mental health intervention program for veterans.  
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**SB 1305 (LC)** **Menéndez/ et al.**  
Relating to the creation of a rural veterans mental health initiative within the mental health intervention program for veterans.  
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**SB 1307 (LC)** **Menéndez/ et al.**  
Relating to occupational licenses for military service members, military veterans, and military spouses.  
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**SB 1309** **Menéndez**  
Relating to eligibility requirements for issuance of a teaching certificate to an applicant who holds a Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps instructor teaching certification.  
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**SB 1338 (CS) (LC)** **Perry**  
Relating to an exemption from length limitations for certain vehicles or combinations of vehicles used to transport harvest machines.  
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**SB 1351 (LC)** **Hinojosa**  
Relating to transferring to the Texas Workforce Commission certain duties of the comptroller related to the Jobs and Education for Texans Grant Program.  
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**SB 1387 (CS) (LC)** **Creighton**  
Relating to the creation and operations of health care provider participation programs in certain municipalities.  
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**SB 1422 (CS) (LC)** **Lucio**  
Relating to the establishment of an infrastructure improvement council by the Rio Grande Regional Water Authority; providing authority to impose a voluntary assessment.  
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**SB 1434 (LC)** **Taylor, Van**  
Relating to counting time spent by students participating in certain approved off-campus instructional programs in calculation of the average daily attendance for a school district or open-enrollment charter school.  
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**SB 1474 (CS) (LC)** **Garcia/ et al.**  
Relating to the eligibility for participation in veterans court programs.  
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**SB 1494 (CS) (LC)** **Uresti**  
Relating to the educational needs of homeless students.  
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**SB 1502 (CS)** **Garcia**  
Relating to county regulation of the removal and storage in certain counties of unlawfully stopped motor vehicles.  
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**SB 1517 (CS) (LC)** **Seliger/ West**  
Relating to the appointment of counsel to represent indigent defendants in criminal cases.  
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**SB 1576 (CS) (LC)****Hinojosa**

Relating to the compensatory time and overtime pay for commissioned officers of the Department of Public Safety.

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**SB 1628 (CS)****Taylor, Larry**

Relating to insurance claims and certain prohibited acts and practices in or in relation to the business of insurance; amending provisions that are or may be subject to a criminal penalty.

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**SB 1641 (CS) (LC)****West/ et al.**

Relating to the establishment of a pilot program to provide protective services to certain persons determined to be at risk of future harm from abuse, neglect, or exploitation.

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**SB 1708 (LC)****Huffman**

Relating to the creation of a governor's program for victims of child sex trafficking.

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**SB 1726 (CS) (LC)****Creighton**

Relating to suits affecting the parent-child relationship and the enforcement of child support.

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**SB 1760 (CS)****Creighton**

Relating to the transparent and equitable application of ad valorem taxation procedures.

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**SB 1812 (CS) (LC)****Kolkhorst**

Relating to transparency in the reporting and public availability of information regarding eminent domain authority; providing a civil penalty.

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**SB 1820 (CS) (LC)****Taylor, Van**

Relating to the exemption of certain vehicles from towing regulations.

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**SB 1821****Campbell**

Relating to a local option exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion of the appraised value of real property of a business that employs honorably discharged veterans.

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**SB 1828 (CS) (LC)****Zaffirini**

Relating to the creation of the offense of cargo theft.

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**SB 1889 (CS) (LC)****Zaffirini/ et al.**

Relating to the definition of neglect of a child, the exclusion of certain information from the Department of Family and Protective Services central registry of child abuse or neglect cases, and the report of certain information regarding those cases to the legislature.

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**SB 1902 (CS)****Perry**

Relating to the eligibility of criminal defendants for an order of nondisclosure of criminal history record information; authorizing a fee.

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**SB 1925****West**

Relating to the dedication of revenue received from certain court costs to the truancy prevention and diversion fund.

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**SB 1928 (CS) (LC)****Seliger**

Relating to the rulemaking authority of the Health and Human Services Commission to provide for the placement of refugees in this state.

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